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Poor Life.

Another day
Is toiled away!
Another morrow
Is full of sorrow
Awaits us when
We, sad at ten
Of yesternight
Put out the light.
So fly the empty days around,
An indistinct and buzzing sound:
So flash the hours like spokes o' the wheel,
Whose whirl the outline help conceal.

In hope folorn
We seize each morn
To bring to pass
Somewhat. Alas!
The wheel goes round
And we are found
No further borne
Than older grown.
The hours, the days, the years all seem
A careless mill impell'd by steam,
And all its work and all its wear
But turns to gray the workman's hair.

Why speak of life
As it 'twere blithe;
As if a height,
Within the might
Of men to climb,
And in his time
Pluck many a toy
And many a joy!
'Tis but an uproad, cragg'd and torn;
For every rose there's thrice a thorn;
At every step the ascent's made
The air grown chill and roses fade.

Why climb we then,
Why strain your ken
To mount the scalp
Of the cheerless Alp?
Why not the base
The better place
To bask the while
We breathe our smile?
Would we but list, we'd staid below
And catch some sunshine, less the glow,
And less the storm that howls on high
And makes poor life an agony.

A Whole Family in Heaven.

There is coming a time when the family reunion will be entirely broken up. In a little while our days of home comfort will end. Unmindful of the tender ties that now bind us to our kindred, the last enemy will come, and one by one the the objects of our love will be taken away, and we shall be left to finish our course alone.

Perhaps the eye now resting on these lines is dimmed with tears which start instantly at the recollection of many sad bereavements. Pausing just here, you are made to think of a father, of a mother, of a brother, of a sister, of a husband, of a wife, or, it may be, of a dear child—one or all of whom have been torn from you by the relentless hand of Death, and who have been laid away, to sleep in the grave. Ah, yes, with an aching heart you lament, at times, the loss of your loved ones; and in glad, festive seasons, when you especially miss them, then, in the bitterness of your grief you are forced to say:

"We are not all here!
Some are far away—the dead ones dear,
Who thronged with us the ancient hearth,
And gave the hour to guileless mirth.
Fate, with a stern relentless hand,
Looked in and thinned our little band;
Some like a night flash passed away,
And some sank lingering day by day;
The quiet grave yard—some lie there,
And cruel Ocean has his share;
We are not here."

And in the same way, even those who remain will soon be taken, so that, in a short time all our earthly ties will be sundered, and we shall no longer have a common home.

But if we can only hope to be reunited in Heaven, we may comfort ourselves under bereavement, and shall be able, though sorrowing still, to rejoice in the prospect of joining the dear company of kindred that have gone to the spirit land before us. And so, belonging to one family, and having one Father, we shall, by and by, have one eternal home.

There is no other consideration that has power like this to assuage our grief; and to reconcile the anguished spirit to the trial bereavement. It is this, doubtless, that contributes very much to Heaven's attractions—the hope of meeting loved ones in the skies—the prospect of again joining the dear objects of our love in the world of light. This would sometimes seem to be God's gracious design in bereaving us, and just as the Alpine flocks are attracted upward, so the Great Shepherd makes the instincts of nature subservient to the triumphs of faith:

They in the Valley's sheltering care
Soon erop the meadow's tender prime;
And when the sod grows brown and bare,
The Shepherd strives to make them climb

The airy shelves of pasture green,
That hang along the mountain's side;
Where grass and flowers together lean,
And down through the mists the sunbeams glide.

But nought can tempt the timid things
That steep and rugged path to try
Though sweet the shepherd calls and sings
And seared below the pastures lie,

Till in his arms their lambs he takes,
Along the dizzy verge to go—
Then, heedless of rifts and breaks,
They follow on o'er rock and snow.

Nor is this an unusual experience. There are very few have not had their warmest and best affections thus Heavenward, and who do not feel more or less quickened, as well as comforted, by the assurance that Heaven holds their best treasures, and that

——"death-divided friends at last
Shall we meet to part no more."

Yes we rejoice to believe it, they are "not lost but gone before." They live immortal in the kingdom of God; and bound to them as we are, by the cords ...ss love, we feel that we have a sure pledge that they are waiting for us on the opposite shore, and that it will be our joy there to greet them, and their happines to welcome us to our eternal home:

"But O, how dark, how drear, how lone,
Would seem the brightest world of bliss,
If wandering through each radiant one,
We fail to find the loved of this!
* * * * *
"It cannot be! each hope, each fear,
That lights the eye or clouds the brow,
Proclaims there is a happier sphere
Than this bleak world that holds us now.
There is a voice which sorrow hears
When heaviest weighs life's galling chain,
'Tis heaven that whispers: "Dry thy tears,
The pure in heart shall meet again."

If, then, after all the trials and sorrows of life are over, we meet at last in the world of bliss, what rapturous delight shall we experience! What glad songs we shall sing! And what united and hearty thanks shall we render to God for his loving conduct through a land of toil and sin, to the world of holiness and rest!

But how sad is the thought that some may never again behold the faces of those whom death has taken from them. Clothed in white robes, they are now before the throne, rejoicing in the presence of God, and basking in his smiles. To such a state of honor, only the holy can ever hope to be advanced; for none shall be admitted to that blessed society but such as have "washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the lamb."—Examiner.

A Balloon in a Maine Wilderness.

Mr. Samuel A. King, Æronaut, gives the following amusing account of an adventure in the northern wilds of Maine: "I had an unusually long air voyage from Bangor, with several companions, and was passing over an almost unbroken wilderness of forest and lake, looking in vain for a landing place. Night was coming on, and the question where to land became a serious one. No sound of civilization, not a gun or an axe, nothing but primitive sounds of nature. "Here is an opening," cried one passenger, 'why not land here?" No, boys have a little patience; we can do much better by running down to the coast in the counter-current above us. Darkness had come on, but see—"A light! a light!" This was the exclamation of one who a moment before thought he was doomed to starve in the wilderness. Sure enough, there was a light; but it was a great way off, and might not be in our course, yet gradually we approach it. At one time it seems to be off to the right, and then away to the left; but nearer it comes till it is seen streaming from a window beneath us. There is a dark open space below! Is it land or water? I see a fence. Over with the anchor, and in a moment we find ourselves swinging by the anchor rope over a newly-cleared field, among the stumps and logs. We had landed in the only inhabited spot within twenty miles, near a saw mill on the Orotmucto river. The people who run the mill lived near by and it was from their window that we saw the light. Wishing for some assistance to remove the balloon to smoother ground, if possible, before letting the gas out, we remained in the car, and taking up my speaking trumpet I hallooed, but the unearthly sound was adding terror to the already frightened inhabitants. One man, however, a little braver than the rest, ventured out after awhile, and inquired what it was anyhow? By dint of explanation and persuasion, we succeeded in getting him to come to us. Giving him a line that was attached to the car, he was requested to make it fast to a certain log to prevent the balloon from swaying about till we could get more help. Becoming impressed with the idea that our lives were in danger, and that our safety depended on him, he froze to that rope in a wondeful manner. It was a little short, and, though he tried hard to make it fast every time the balloon would settle, still he could not get fastened. Then the balloon would rise, and up he would go twenty feet or more, and down again to try the same thing over, but he soon began to feel exhausted, and remembering his companions, he broke out with:

"Say! you blasted, golldummered, cowardly sneaks, come out and help me; the darned thing 'ill kill me!"

This started them soon; five others made their appearance and assisted in moving the balloon to a better place.

The first they knew of the balloon was from one of the women who was just returning from milking, seeing the monster just above her and descending, she dropped her pail and fled to the house, screaming in the most frantic manner; when asked the matter she could only reply, "Oh, it's a forerunner! I know it's a forerunner! In this back woods place they had never heard of a balloon, and many were the wonders and surmises as to the meaning of our strange appearance among them. The oldest man of them all, however, seemed to have hit upon the right idea, and in a jocose way, says he:

"Ah! yeer skedadlers!" I shook my head and pointed to the balloon, he asked, "How many more is there up tha'er? It didn't take so big a coach to bring so few of ye!" He was induced to change his mind at last, when 'big coach' prone upon the ground.

INDEPENDENT.

The American Agriculturist for October contains an almost exhaustless mine of information to the agricultural and general reader. The publishers, Orange, Judd & Co., of New York, offer a large number of liberal premiums to subscribers. It would be well to send and get a copy.

Good Health, a new Boston monthly, publishes quite a number of common sense articles on the health question. Several valuable essays on the functions of various portions of the human system are well worthy of perusal. Published by Alexander Moore, Boston, Mass.

The Schoolmate, by Joseph H. Allen, will not fail to interest the good boys and girls for whose benefit it is designed. Boston Mass.

The Nursery, by John L. Shorey, Boston, is a rich prize for the little people, and they can't but be pleased with its pleasant stories and pictures.

The Atlantic Monthly, for October, has the following contents: The City of Brass, The Egotist in Life, Parlor Singing, The Foe in the Household (continued), Garibaldi, Hunt. in the British Islands, German Songs and a few other matters, The Brick Moon, Earthquakes of the American Continents, An August Pastoral Pensylvania Dutch, Wettstein, The increase of Human Life, At Rydal, A Dredging Exeursion on the Gulf Stream. This suggests a variety of good reading. The article, Pennsylvania Dutch, gives many important points of information concerning the people of whom it treats. Fields, Osgood & Co., Boston.

The Western Monthly of Chicago, has been enlarged, and is now a full grown magazine, not only in its number of pages, but in the variety of its productions. The following are the titles of some of its articles: Private Dwellings of Pompeii, A Glance at Florida, In Camp at Yosemite, The German Turnfest, A Western Utopia, Master Singers of Germany, and other articles. Read, Browne & Co.

The Ohio Educational Monthly retains its high character for usefulness among the teachers profession. The number of the present month is rich in essays, generally original, productions of those among the best educators of the state. E. E. White, Columbus, editor and publisher.

Any delicately virtuous wife or daughter, remembering the acknowledged character of Byron, should be slow to censure Mrs. Stowe. Any husband and father not desirous of engaging in unhallowed affections, will not uphold him for a moment. Fine talents should not excuse a vile life.

When the mistress of such a man excuses him, and abuses his wife, it is is not unreasonable for one aware of the truth to tell it. The Advance has the following:

Mrs. Stowe and Lord Byron.

Byron is the favorite poet of the vicious and of those who love an unhallowed gratfieation of the imagination. He was also the idol of that sentimental and enthusiastic class of men and women, who can pardon all the faults of genius. Indeed the poison of the idea that the immoralities of great men are matters of course, to to be expected and to be allowed, is wide spread. Daniel Webster could be tolerated with impunity in that which would have ruined the reputation and prospects of ordinary men, and Theodore Parker, heretic as he was, was almost the only preacher and writer who dared to tell the truth about him. That *Lord Byron was a profligate, a seducer, an adulterer, lost all meaning*, certainly all usual effect, in view of his marvelous intellectual gifts. His wife, who could separate from him on any such ground was set down as a mere prude and precisian, who ought not to have held so impassioned a genius to the conventional code of morals. But even such apologists forvice know that there are limits not to be passed; that there are a few crimes too infamous to be pardoned even to combined rank, genius and beauty; that, seared as is the world's conscience, and brazen as may be its brow, enough feeling remains to be disgusted with sins against nature. Mrs. Stowe ought to have known that they would regard her with peculiar vindictiveness, if she should succeed in thrusting Byron into that class of criminals. It would be damning him past all hope. This she has attempted to do, and of course all the *literatuers* who like an easy life, and are fond of "wine and," and who have a fellow feeling with Byron, and do not wish to see him sunk into the the lowest depths of infamy, are in arms against the audacious accuser. They will not credit the charge. Prove Byron to have been an adulterer, and they care nothing for it; "Very likely he was; what of it?" But say that he was guilty of incest—oh! that is too vile; society has not yet been brought to tolerate it even in a titled poet! And then there are not a few good people, religious editors and others, who, for one and another reason are out of humor with "the Beechers," and are predisposed to pick a quarrel with Mrs Stowe in particular. They would naturally swell the the chorus against her. And to these may be added the large number who always object, on the score of modesty, to any public rebuke of sin against chastity. It concerns us little, then, that a clamor has been raised against the article in question. We are more interested to do justice to all concerned, if we can ascertain what justice demands; and this thought has made us slow to speak on this unpleasant topic.

Mrs. Stowe has done more than to make a sensation. She has succeeded in her main object, notwithstanding all that the critics allege against her matter, manner and motives. There would seem to be no good reasons for aspersing Mrs. Stowes motives. As a woman, she had reason, with all her sex, to detest Lord Byron's character and influence, and to desire to limit his power of evil by more thoroughly exposing his baseness. Moreover, she had special reason to sympathize with Lady Byron, against whom, in her unchallenged purity, the gifted poet has discharged some of his most envenomed arrows because she had deliberately refused to longer live with such a character. This sympathy was deepened by personal acquaintance with Lady Byron, and by being made the recipient of her dreadful secret, and of her slowly reached conviction that the time would soon come for its revelation to the world. Lady Byron died, still resting under odium, and Byron's mistress, the Countess Guiccioli, published a volume of reminiscences of the poet, in which he is eulogized for his virtues, and excused in his vices, while Lady Byron is again aspersed. Thus stirred to feel and and to act, Mrs. Stowe gave to the world the secret—that Lady Byron separated from Lord Byron because he carried on incestuos intercourse with his half-sister Augusta, Mrs. Col. Leigh! We do not see that Mrs. Stowe could be blamed for making this needed coutribution to history in some proper manner, with a careful statement of the evidence on which so terrible a charge was based.

We cannot resist the belief that the story is substantially true, and it is to be hoped that Dr. Lushington, (whom Lady Byron consulted frankly as her legal adviser at the time) will now state the facts which were communicated to him at the date of the separation, and which he then declared to be such as to make a reconciliation impossible. There must be persons in England able to throw light upon the matter now that the secret is out, and Lady Byron's justification is before the world. Indeed, corroboration already comes in various forms. Thus the Boston Daily Advertiser publishes the folowing: the initials H. L. being understood to represent Rev. Henry L. Tuckerman:

Seventeen years ago, I heard this fearful story from an Englishman of the highest character mental and moral. He represented to me the facts communicated to him by Dr. Lushington, and within this year, his narrative has been confirmed by an Englishman who received his information from Trelawney, Byron's comrade. The discussion now going on will probably bring forth the truths from those to whom they have been intrusted. One of them will be Byron's own confession. H. L.

Moreover, McMillan's Magazine in England bought the right of republishing Mrs. Stowe's article in that country, the publishers saying that though *the facts had long been known there*, they were glad at last to have them with Mrs. Stowe's name in an authentic form. And within a week the telegraph reports, that the legal executors and representatives of Lady Byron disavow all responsibility for the publication in question, and do not endorse as a full and authentic statement of all the facts known to Lady Byron, and leading to the separation; but they do not deny the main allegation, and their language, on the contrary, implies its substantial correctness.

That Mrs. Stowe should feel a personal responsibility to give this dreadful fact to the public, is natural, not only in view of the act of Lady Byron confiding the secret to her, but still more because it was Mrs. Stowe's advice that prevented her from communicating it to the world in her life time.

Guard the Ballot Box.

It is the duty of every good citizen to see that there is an honest vote at the election held on the 12th inst. The result announced should represent the fair and honest expression of the political opinions of the lawful voters of Ohio. Heretofore there has been fraudulent voting, fraudulent counting of the vote, and a false and fraudulent return of the vote in many voting precincts. Let us take one case for illustration. At the spring election of 1868, in one of the townships of Belmont county, the democratic judges of election so manipulated the vote in counting it out, that they certified that a majority of the votes were cast for the Democratic candidates were duly elected. But enough was known to justify the belief that the Union candidates, including the Township Trustees were in point of fact elected by the ballots cast. Proceedings were accordingly entered in the District Court sitting in Belmont county, and that Court unanimously decided, after hearing all the evidence in the case, that the Republican candidates were duly elected, there having been a fraudulent count and false return by the judges of election. The New York City plan of counting votes was adopted, as it appeared from the evidence. A Republican ticket was taken up by a judge and the names of the Democratic candidates read off in the same way as if it were a Democratic ticket. This case is sufficient to show that there is scarcely a limit to the frauds that may be committed where Democratic Judges are allowed unrestricted control of all that pertains to the deposit and counting of votes.

One section of the general election laws now in force reads as follows:

The judges of the election shall, if requested, permit the respective candidates, or one or more, not exceeding three of their friends, to be present in the room where the judges are, during the time of receiving and counting out the ballots.

We now and here desise to call the particular attention of the republicans throughout the state to this most important duty, namely, the duty of having republican candidates or one or more political friends of those candidates present at every voting precinct in Ohio, from the time that the first ballot is deposited, until the time that the last vote is counted out. Under the law which we have cited each candidate, whether on the state or county ticket, has the right to be present in person, or to be represented by three of his political friends, within the room where the judges of election are seated. Where a written proxy has been given to another by a candidate who cannot be present in person, it is not within the power of any judges to exclude these friends of candidates from the room where the ballot box is kept, or prevent them from scrutinizing everything that is done by them. Now, it is but the commonest and most necessary precaution against fraud to detail earnest and fearless republicans in every ward and township for this duty of guarding the ballot box, and watching closely the counting of every ballot. To be willing to trust democratic judges to preserve the purity of the ballot box, indicates ignorance of the principles of the managers of that party that is stupid and deplorable. More than five hundred fraudulent votes were cast at the October election last year in Columbus, through the connivance and with the assistance of democratic judges of election. The returns in three of the wards were notoriously false and fraudulent. No republican was present at the counting of the votes in three wards. If this thing occurs again the republicans of Franklin county may be set down as pre eminent in stupidity over all their party in Ohio. But it will not occur again. Once more we say, let republican candidates, or friends with written authority for them, be present within the room where the ballot box is kept at every voting precinct in this state on the 12th day of October.

The Ears.

Boxing the ears is an inexcusable brutality; many a child has been made deaf for life by it, because the "drum of the ear is a membrane as thin as paper, stretching like a curtain just inside the external entrance, nothing but air behind it; and the concussion of a blow on the ear endangers splitting the drum, and thus the hearing is caused by virations of this drum or 'tympanum.'"

Picking the ears is a very mischievous practice, as an unlucky motion may pierce the drum and make it as useless as a pierced India rubber life-preserver; nothing sharper or harder than the end of the little finger, with the nail pared ought ever to be introduced into the ear, unless by a physician. Persons are often seen endeavoring to remove wax from the ear with the head of a pin. This ought never to be done, first, because it endangers the rupture of the ear by being pushed too far in, but if not so far, it may grate against the drum, excite inflamation, and an ulcer will finally eat all the parts away, especially if of a scrofulous constitution; second, hard substances have often slipped in, and caused the necessity of painful, dangerous and expensive operations to fish or cut out; third the wax is manufactured by nature to guard the entrance from dust, insects and unmodified cool air, and when it has subserved its purpose it becomes dry, scaly, light, and in this conditon is easily pushed out by new formations of wax within. Occasionally wax may harden and may interfere with the hearing; but in such cases it is the part of wisdom to consult a physician, and let him decide what is the matter and what the remedy; if one cannot be had, the only safe plan is to let fall into the ear three or four drops of tepid water, night and morning; the saliva is better, for its is softer and more penetrating, but glycerine is far preferable to either; it is one of the blandest fluids in nature, and very rapidly penterates the hardest wax, cools the parts and restores their healthful condition. If in a week there is not a decided improvement in the hearing, medical advice ought to be had at once, as, next to the eye, the ear is the most delicate organ of the body.—Hall's Journal of Health.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the army of the Tennessee held at Louisville, Ky., yesterday, resolutions were passed expressing the sorrow of the association at the death of its late president, Gen. Rawlins, and inviting Gen. Eli Parker to deliver a eulogy on the life and services of the deceased.

How a New England Deacon Broke the Sabbath.

A curious incident of Sabbath breaking occured in the parish of Hampton, Conn., in the good old time. A certain jolly farmer who lived several miles from the meeting-house, was astonished, to observe one Sabbath morning his near neighbor, a pious deacon, hard at work in his hay field, with his sons and his hired men. But the truth was soon divined; the deacon, who took no daily paper, and owned no almanac, —was, in short, not a literary man,—had mistaken the day of the week, and his well ordered family had adopted his error. I am sorry to add that being more of a wag than a saint, our farmer declined to enlighten the innocent Sabbath breaker, but drove on, chuckling, toward the sanctuary. The deacon looked after him, and, pausing in the midst of the broad swath he was cutting, exclaimed:

"Ef there aint neighbor Doolittle, and Mrs. Doolittle, and all the children, dressed up and goin' visitin early Saturday mornin, in the midst of hayin' time. That beats all."

The next morning the deacon and the deacon's wife, his sons and daughters, his hired man; the hired girl, and the 'bound boy,' all arrayed in their Sunday best, set out for meeting in good order—the eldest son on horseback, with the eldest daughter mounted behind on a pillion; the deacon, with the rest of the family, in the big wagon, drawn by a stout pair of roans, who jogged soberly along with their meekest Sunday look on. The family delusion extended even to the yellow dog, who trotted in the rear of the decorous turnout; without secular frisk, or bark, or gambol.

On the way to the village the deacon was surprised and shocked to see several of his fellow townsmen at work in their fields. He invariably stopped to reprove them; but the joke of his own Sunday work had spread through the neighborhood, and was so much relished that no one cared to undeceive him. Each farmer's excuse for his impiety was the necessity of getting in his hay before a shower, which he pretended was imminent, though the sky was cloudless. Expostulations and replies were something after this sort:

"Why, Uncle Zebulon! this here is a fine day, with no appearance of rain."

"Jee' so, deacon; but the wind's a little unstiddy, and I believe in takin' time by the forelock."

'But Uncle, it is the Lord's time.'

"Yes, deacon; but I intend to send a load of this here hay to Parson Mosley, and that'll make it all square I guess."

'Why, neighbor Barlow, where under the canopy do you find signs of rain to-day.'

'In the corns, deacon. When they begin to shoot I look out for a damp spell; and it alwas comes sooner or later.'

'Why Ephriam Pettingill; I am beat! You horse-shoeing on Sunday!'

'Why, you know, deacon, 'a merciful man is marciful to his beat.'"

After each specious response the deacon shook his head mournfully, and drove on. He reached the village and drove up to the meeting house steps; where he and his hired man handed out the 'wothen folks' and children—his son and daughter had already dismounted at the horse-block—and together they marveled much at the closed meeting house doors, and the vacant wagon shed. There they waited, more and more amazed, till several loungers from the village store gathered around them, laughing and quizzing, till a terrible small boy called out, "what are you doin here Monday mornin'? Did you sleep over Sunday, or did you forget to put your beans into the oven Saturday night."

Upon that hint they went riding and driving homeward at quite a festive rate of speed, albeit in a deeply mortified and penitential state of mind.—Independent.

PROPERLY MARKED.—When Prof. Aytoun was making proposals for marriage to his first wife—a daughter of the celebrated Prof. Wilson—the lady reminded him that it would be necessary to ask the approval of her sire.

'Certainly,' said Aytoun; 'but as I am a little diffident in speaking to him on this subject, you must just go and tell him my proposals yourself.

The lady proceeded to the library, and taking her father affectionately by the hand, mentioned that Professor Aytoun had asked her to become his wife. She added: 'Shall I accept his offer, papa? He says he is too diffident to name the subject to you himself.'

'Then, said old Christopher, 'I had better write the reply and pin it to your back.'

He did so and the lady returned to the drawing room The anxious suitor read the answer to his message, which was in these words, 'with the author's compliments.'

VALUABLE.—Mr. Boynton, the person who has saved so many lives at Cape May this season, was offered fifty cents by one gentleman, after he had been dragged safely ashore. Mr. Boynton handed him back forty-nine cents in change, remarking that he did not wish to accept more than his life was worth.

Aunt Judy, a pious old colored woman, is said to have expressed herself as follows with reference to the vociferous habits of certain persons at camp meeting: "'Taint de rale grace, honey; 'taint de sure glory. You hollers too loud. When you gets de dove in your heart, and de lamp on your bosom, you'll feel as if you was in dat stable at Beth'lem, and de blessed Virgin had lent you the sleeping baby to hold.'

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Constitutional Amendment—YES.

REPUBLICAN STATE TICKET.

Governor.....RUTHERFORD B. HAYES.
Lieutenant Governor.....JOHN C. LEE.
Judge Supreme Court.....LUTHER DAY.
Treasurer of State.....SIDNEY S. WARNER.
Attorney-General.....FRANCIS P. BOND.
Board Public Works.....RICHARD R. PORTER.
Senator.....B. F. POTTS.

Republican County Ticket.

Representatives.....SAMUEL C. BOWMAN.
.....ELIAS N. JOHNSTON.
Probate Judge.....JAS. W. UNDERHILL.
Prosecuting Attorney.....WM. McKINLEY, Jr.
Treasurer.....IRA M. ALLEN.
Sheriff.....T. C. STANLEY.
Commissioner.....RICHARD LEE.
Infirmary Director.....WM. BARBER.
Coroner.....DANIEL DEWALT.

The Candidates for Governor.

Pendleton, on the 18th of January, 1861, when the south was talking disunion, said in congress, Let them go—let the union be dissolved.

Hayes, on the other hand, when Pendleton's friends commenced the war, entered the army, and did the work of a patriotic soldier until the democratic rebellion was suppressed.

Pendleton favors repudiation.

Hayes favors paying the nation's debt.

Pendleton favors slavery.

Hayes is for universal liberty.

Pendleton whines over hard times—just such times as he and his friends are laboring for—and appeals to the low prejudices of his party for support.

Hayes appeals to the intelligence, manhood, patriotism and love of union of the people.

Is there any question as to which man we should vote for?

Fifteenth Amendment.

The democracy harp a great deal on the idea that the people of the states should decide as to who shall or shall not be voters. It is a sort of states rights notion which was not popular in Jackson times. During Gen. Jackson's administration there was considerable of national interference with the banks—then the party was for hard money. But the whig states wanted banks, yet Jackson did what he could to crush them. Then it was democracy to for the nation to make the states do as it chose whether they were willing or not. Now it is democratic for the states to do as they please in spite of the national voice.

More than seven years ago war was upon us, originating in the idea of state rights, but the valor and patriotism of the nation made these rebellious states obey the higher law, and Liberty and the people said, Amen. The howling against the fifteenth amendment is but a voice of the state rights sort, but the decision of the people will be against them, and for the amendment.

Democratic Money.—A venerable citizen among us suggests that it would be well to state once more to the public in what real democratic money consists. It is not gold, nor silver, nor brass, nor copper, nor nickel, nor greenbacks, but the old gentleman says the real, genuine democratic money is confederate shinplasters, a basket full of which it used to take to buy a few pounds of beef, and now a bushel of it would not purchase a peck of potatoes at nine or ten cents a peck. This is about the kind of money Pendleton and his adherents would transform greenbacks into. They would make this so plenty that it would take a thousand greenback cents to equal in value a hundred coppers or nickels. So that if any of these fellows were in debt $1,000 they would pay it with a nominal thousand, but its real value would be $100.

If Dr. Franklin were living at this day, and was writing a chapter on the new way of paying old debts he could get a bright, new idea in this system of financiering, from which his philosophic mind would be sure to deduce some very sage suggestions. It is a practical specimen of democratic financiering worthy the cause for which the party fought in the late *unpleasantness*. It is no abolition, or black republican, or radical theory, but a white man's, democratic practice, none of which are more orthodox in that faith than the southern leaders, and whose abject followers are among the devoted copperheads of the north. Remember these facts next Tuesday when you come to vote.

The Fair held at Canton four days of last week was favored with fine weather, and the consequence was, a very large attendance of people—some say larger than ever known there at any previous fair. But it is reported that the exhibitions were meager. That is the complaint in adjoining counties—the people attend by thousands, but the productions are slim. If this is the case there must be some general cause for it, and this should be sought out, and if possible remedied. But if the productions of the husbandmen are not brought together as was the design in instituting these fairs, still it is good that the people come together and have a good time.

Russell & Co., we see by the last Rep & Rep, have finally consented to establish a branch of their manufacturing operations at Canton. The requisite preliminaries have been entered into, but how soon operations will be commenced we do not know, perhaps at an early day. This movement indicates enterprise, and we hope it may ultimate in increased prosperity. The firm is well established here, and have grown from a small beginning to the most extensive operations in that branch of manufacture. It is true our citizens would have preferred to see them increase their works here, but for reasons which they best understand they preferred to do otherwise. So earnest are our Canton neighbors in the enterprise that they proposed to advance $75,000, and let Russell & Co., have the use of it for five years at 8 per cent. Ground has been purshased, but we don't see by the article on this subject whether it is donated or not, and buildings are to be put up, reports say, at an expense of $125,000. A pretty large undertaking, and if the firm is as prosperous and enterprising as they have been they will soon overcome that amount of expense.

The democracy, at present, pretend to be the working man's especial friend, and Mr. Carey, when here harped on that point as the harper harps on a thousand strings. Pendleton is the candidate of that party for governor of Ohio—he is reputed wealthy, and a man is not rich now unless he controls about $100,000. If Mr. P. as a working man has earned $2 a day, allowing 312 working days in a year, it would take him about one hundred and sixty years to achieve $100,000. He can't be 160 years old yet. The same party has one Packer, a candidate for governor of Pennsylvania, and his wealth is put down at $20,000,000. At $2 a day it would take this Pennsylvania P. about two hundred times as long as the Ohio P. to secure his pile, and the Pa. P. would be 200 times as old as the Ohio P. That would beat Mathuselah out of sight. Does anybody suppose that either of these P's has labored for his large fortune? If not whose millions' day's works have they been managing to monopolize?

Our correspondent, Haswell, is a little severe in his strictures upon the policy of life insurance companies in regard to their course with women who purchase assurances. If he is correct there should be a reform effected, or women should be put on their guard when purchasing such tickets. The agents of those companies, here, are all honorable men, and would not willingly mislead any body; and if the companies which they represent thus treat women who rely on them for protection against accidents, they should post themselves, and not aid in practicing deception, as we are sure they would not if they knew it:

To the Editor of the Independent—I beg the privilege of using your columns, or as a lawyer would say, so much thereof as may be necessary to ventilate a very mean fraud practiced upon a woman at the railway station in this city on Thursday last. I purposely withhold names for the reason that I do not feel at liberty to give them. You however, can give the name of the writer and he holds himself responsible to any to any one who may wish to inquire for any fact not herein given, or who may feel aggrieved. As stated, on Thursday last, a woman wishing to go to Toledo purchased from the ticket agent in this city what is generally known as an "accident policy" the first clause of which is a follows—

The Railway Passengers Assurance Company of Hartford, Conn., will indemnify the insured under this contract in the sum of fifteen dollars per week against loss of time not exceeding twenty-six consecutive weeks from the date of the accident under which claim is made, while totally disabled and prevented from the transaction of all kinds of business, solely by reason of bodily injuries, effected through outward and accidental violence; or in the event of death within ninety days from the happening of such accident, when caused proximately and solely by bodily injuries as aforesaid, will pay to the legal representative of the insured the sum of Three Thousand Dollars.

In the last clause of the same policy is the following proviso—

"*Women will be insured under this contract against death only.*"

I have taken pains to Italicise the poviso as I wish to put women on their guard against such swindlers as are holding out the idea that a woman may purchase such a policy and if so unfortunate as to meet with an accident on a journey, will be remunerated by being paid $15 per week for twenty-six weeks. A more bare faced swindle could hardly have been invented, by the most accomplished villains, and as such it deserves the execration of every body. Let it be understood that if a woman purchasing such a ticket, get a leg or arm broken, or meets with any other injury by which she is disabled only, she can recover nothing, but if she be killed, her survivors will get the amount named in the policy, in case the company issuing the policy be not bankrupt, which in the present instance is believed to be not the case. Your readers know the income of the company and I will give you the names of the officers, J. G. Batterson, president, and C. D. Palmer, secretary. There are several legal questions that would arise under the provisions above quoted, but I do not propose to discuss them further than to say that they, the provisions, are repugnant each with the other, and would prevent a recovery by a man. But let that pass, it is with the vagabonds who issue such policies to cheat women that I am dealing, and of whom I wish to advertise the public. On mentioning this circumstance to an insurance agent of this city, I was agreeably entertained at his simplicity. He thought a woman buying such a policy would not be likely to be caught but once, very likely not; particularly if she is so unfortunate as to meet with an accident which laid her up for four or five months and on application for her benefits we are told, as a man in a neighboring county tells his wife whenever she annoys him by giving her opinions on subjects that women are *presumed* not to be familiar with—

"Neow Seusan, you should remember you are woman 'and have no rights that accident insurance companies are bound to respect, besides 'it is so nominated in the bond 'that a woman can't recover anything unless she is killed."

Such unmitigated rascality and meanness are without excuse or apology. Another insurance agent says, why did not Mrs. ——— read the policy and become familiar with its provisions? Sensible again. The types upon which the policy is printed is agate and occupy so much room that a passenger arriving at a railway station has barely time to purchase a ticket and policy, could hardly enjoy the luxury of that seat of literature for the purpose of ascertaining his legal rights. The traveling public will get to understand such knavery without the experimental knowledge of broken legs.

Haswell.

Monday, Oct. 4th, 1869.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Massillon Cemetery Association, held this day pursuant to notice, at the office of the secretary, at which time D. R. Atwater was chosen president, and H. K. Dickey, secretary. On motion an election for two directors was held, caused by the expiration of the term of office of Kent Jarvis and E. Kachler, upon vote it was declared that Kent Jarvis and E. Kachler were duly elected as directors for the term of three years.

A motion was adopted that this meeting adjourn to meet at the Mayor's office on next Friday evening, to hear the report of the directors of the cemetery, and for such other business as may promote the interest of the cemetery.

H. K. Dickey, Sec'y.

The citizens of Massillon and particularly the stockholders of the Cemetery, are requested to come to the Mayor's office next Friday evening and aid in the effort which will be proposed at that time to place our cemetry where it should be—on an equality with any of the surrounding cities. We trust our citizens will not neglect this call, and by their presence and council show the board of trustees that they feel an interest in the matter.

Massillon Cemetery.

It is perfectly natural that the people of Massillon should feel a pride in the beauty and cleanliness of the home for their dead. As it is to experience mortification and sorrow at its present bramble covered and uncared for condition, several handbills, notices, and newspaper articles have been published, with a view to waking public interest in that direction. And while all admit the necessity of prompt action to rescue the grounds from an undergrowth of brambles and weeds, there are those who claim that the parties who have had charge of the Cemetery for repairs should render an account of their 'stewardship,' and exhibit to the lot owners, and others contemplating ownership the exact financial status of the institution.

Let the present officers report on what has transpired since they took possession, and before including receipts, expenditures, assets, liabilities and with such documents, tender their resignation, that new men will come in and a new zeal be inspired, that cannot be awakened under the rusty management of the ancient "regime."

The meeting called for Monday last, adjourned until Friday P. M. at the mayor's office. Business will be up—let everybody attend that is interested.

Verdi.

Pursuant to adjournment the Stark County Medical Society met in Massillon, on Thursday the 30th ult. Dr. L. M. Whiting in the chair. The secretary, Dr. Slusser, being absent, Dr. Lyon was elected secretary pro tem. Minutes of previous meeting read and approved. On motion Dr. Thos. H. Philips, of Canton, and Dr. Davius Forbes, of New Franklin, were elected members of the society. Dr. Metz read an interesting address, of which, on motion, he was requested to give a copy for publication in our county papers. The next thing in order was a discussion on the Action and Uses of the Bromides, which was participated in by Drs. Metz, Whiting, Forbes, Doughaday and Sowers. Dr. Shilling was appointed essayist, and Dr. Forbes to read an address at the next meeting which will be held at Canton, on the 30th of December, 1869.

The Suez Canal.

A dispatch from Alexandria informs us that M. Lesseps has passed through the Suez Canal in a steamer from Port Said to Suez—that is from the Mediterranean to the Red Sea—in fifteen hours. It is impossible to refuse to admit that M. Lesseps has accomplished one of the greatest wonders of this or, indeed, of any age. The world laughed at him when he commenced his undertaking. It was an impossibility; it never could be accomplished. It was an old thought, but it never was a fact. The idea was as old as, nay, older than the Pharaohs; but the sands of the desert had in every instance proved stronger than man. Such was the language common at the time the canal was commenced. Such has been the language held by many in spite of visible progress and demonstrated success. Steadily M. Lesseps has kept at the work. He has found money and men in spite of all the detractors to carry on the work. He has exhausted the resources of art to find machinery suited to great emergencies. He has made nature herself his handmaid. Where no stone was to be had, he has taken lessons from the monuments of the past and converted the deep, heavy subsoil into material which may prove as enduring as marble or granite. The two seas have actually met and kissed each other, and there has been no deluge. On the contrary, a little steamer, with the engineer on board, has sailed from sea to sea in fifteen hours. It is a triumph to French engineering; it is a triumph to modern science. We may now take it for granted that the opening of the canal toward the close of the year will be a complete success. in spite of the Sultan the dream of the Greek conqueror of the world will be realized. Alexandria will become one of the grandest centers of commerce. It will do more than recover all the splendor and prosperity which it lost by the discovery of Vasco de Gama. Trade will revert to its ancient channels. The cape will sink into decay. The coast of the Mediterranean will bristle with large and flourishing cities. A voyage from New York, from Amsterdam, from Liverpool, from Marseilles to India and the far east will be accomplished in fewer weeks via the Suez Canal than months via. the Cape of Good Hope. It will multiply largely the means of communication and it will enormously increase trade. Egypt in fact, will recover more than her ancient importance; she will again become the seat of empire. The canal will attract Europeans and even Americans to its banks, the world's wealth will find a new outlet, and it will not be wonderful if the ruler of Egypt, whoever he may be, soon dictates terms to the Turk. The truth is the Suez Canal will reclaim Egypt from barbarism. Civlization by it lays claim to the land of the Pharaohs, one of the first and grandest cradles of the race, and through it rushes to develop the mighty resources of Asia. It is a grand success and we must rejoice in it. But it is also a great counter stroke to our Pacific railroad. We have our isthmus.—We must cut it or lag behind. We are nearer Asia than any of the commercial nations of Europe; but we lose our opportunity so long as the trade of the Atlantic states must seek Asia round Cape Horn. Let us cut the isthmus at once. Let us have our Darien Canal. To us this is the lesson.—*N. Y. Herald.*

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On the 5th inst. by Rev. W. Lynch, Miss Amanda E. Miller and Mr. Theodore Princehorn, all of this vicinity.

On the same day, by the same, Miss Frankie Oberlin, daughter of Samuel Oberlin, and Mr. William Yost, all of this place.

On the same day by Rev. R. L. Williams, at the residence of the bride's father in Jackson township, Miss Mary Jane Smith and Mr. Cyrus Brinker.

City Corporation Notice.

Notice is hereby given that at a meeting of the city council at the council chamber in the city of Massillon, on Tuesday, the 21st inst. The city solicitor presented an ordinance numbered 152, entitled "An Ordinance fixing the boundaries of the several wards of the city of Massillon." And thereupon on motion of Mr. Mong, it was resolved, That the clerk be and he hereby is directed to publish a notice in the Massillon Independent, for three consecutive weeks, of the proposed change in the wards of this city as required by Section No. 406, Chapter 29, of the Municipal Code.

D. W. Huntsman, City Clerk.

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" Franklin,	*1-36 PM	" Teegardens	*3-30 PM
" Longs,	*1-41 PM	" Longs,	*3-35 PM
" Teegardens	*1-46 PM	" Franklin,	*3-40 PM
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Train leaves Chicago at 4 20 pm, daily—Pittsburg 4 25 pm, daily.

Stations.	Exp.	Exp.	Exp.	Exp.	Exp.
	GOING WEST.				
Pittsburg	1 55 a	6 45 a	8 35 a	1 25 p	
Rochester	3 00 "	8 20 "	— "	2 25 "	
Salem	4 55 "	10 18 "	10 58 "	4 20 "	
Alliance	5 20 "	11 15 "	11 30 "	5 20 "	
Canton	6 01 "	12 21 p	12 05 p	6 07 "	
Massillon	6 20 "	12 45 "	12 20 "	6 26 "	
Wooster	7 51 "	1 26 "	— "	7 02 "	
Orrville	7 20 "	1 55 "	1 06 "	7 31 "	
Mansfield	8 53 "	4 05 "	2 21 "	9 18 "	
Crestline Arr.	9 25 "	4 45 "	2 45 "	9 50 "	
Crestline Dep.	9 50 "	6 05 "	3 05 "	10 15 "	
Bucyrus	10 17 "	6 33 "	— "	10 38 "	
Upper Sandusky	10 51 "	7 09 "	4 "	11 09 "	
Lima	12 30 p	8 45 "	5 13 "	12 55 "	
Vanwert	2 00 "	10 09 "	— "	2 00 "	
Ft. Wayne	3 30 "	11 45 "	7 10 "	3 20 "	
Plymouth	5 48 "	2 28 p	9 00 "	5 40 "	
Valparaiso	7 30 "	4 08 "	10 10 "	7 20 "	
Chicago	9 20 "	6 20 "	10 40 "	9 10 "	
	GOING EAST.				
Chicago	4 50 "	8 20 "	4 20 "	10 00 p	
Valparaiso	7 20 "	9 10 "	7 15 "	12 28 "	
Plymouth	9 05 "	10 03 "	9 05 "	2 18 "	
Ft. Wayne	12 05 a	1 10 a	12 05 a	5 15 "	
Vanwert	1 33 "	2 00 "	— "	6 00 "	
Lima	2 62 "	2 44 "	10 42 "	8 25 "	
Upper Sandusky	4 52 "	4 03 "	11 51 "	10 12 "	
Bucyrus	5 35 "	4 40 "	— "	10 55 "	
Crestline Arr.	6 05 "	5 05 "	12 50 p	11 25 "	
Crestline Dep.	6 00 "	5 15 "	12 55 "	12 05 a	
Mansfield	6 53 "	5 42 "	1 20 "	12 22 "	
Orrville	8 25 "	7 03 "	2 36 "	1 55 "	
Wooster	8 58 "	7 28 "	2 20 "	2 20 "	
Massillon	9 38 "	7 57 "	3 26 "	3 05 "	
Canton	10 00 "	8 18 "	3 41 "	3 20 "	
Alliance	11 25 "	9 05 "	4 20 "	4 20 "	
Salem	12 01 a	9 33 "	4 45 "	4 20 "	
Rochester	2 05 "	11 05 "	— "	— "	
Pittsburg	3 15 p	12 00 p	7 10 a	6 55 p	

Youngstown, Newcastle and Erie express leaves Youngstown at 2 55 pm; Newcastle, 3 5 pm; arrives at Pittsburg 5 45 pm; returning, leave Pittsburg 7 15 am; arrives at N. Castle 9 50 am; Youngstown, 10 40 am.

F. R. MYERS,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Cleveland and Pittsburg Railroad.

On and after Aug. 30, 1869, trains will leave stations daily, Sundays excepted, as follows.

Going South—Main Line.

Stations.	Mail.	Exp.	Acc.	Acc.
Cleveland	8 15 a	12 10 p	3 35 p	
Euclid Ave.	8 26 "	12 21 "	3 46 "	
Hudson	9 30 "	1 14 "	4 18 "	
Ravenna	10 04 "	1 42 "	5 26 "	
Alliance	11 00 "	2 18 "	6 25 "	
Bayard	11 32 "	2 43 "		
Wellsville	1 05 p	3 55 "		

Going North—Main Line.

Wellsville	8 55 a	3 20 p		
Bayard	10 25 "	4 35 "		
Alliance	11 25 "	5 15 "	7 25 a	
Ravenna	12 10 p	5 52 "	8 15 "	
Hudson	12 44 "	6 20 "	8 55 "	
Euclid Ave.	1 46 "	7 08 "	9 56 "	
Cleveland	2 00 "	7 20 "	10 10 "	

Going East—River Division.

Bellair	1 15 p	5 45 a	7 25 a	4 30 p
Bridgeport	1 25 "	5 55 "	8 15 "	4 40 "
Steubenville	2 31 "	7 00 "	11 00 "	6 00 "
Wellsville	4 15 "	8 15 "	1 25 p	
Smith's Ferry	4 37 "	8 40 "	1 46 "	
Rochester	5 20 "	9 25 "	2 20 "	
Pittsburg	6 25 "	10 35 "	3 25 "	

Going West—River Division.

Pittsburg	6 20 a	1 10 p	4 25 p
Rochester	7 25 "	2 20 "	5 40 "
Smith's Ferry	8 13 "	2 51 "	6 30 "
Wellsville	8 50 "	3 37 "	7 08 "
Steubenville	9 50 "	4 55 "	7 05 a
Bridgeport	10 59 "	5 43 "	8 15 "
Bellair	11 10 "	5 55 "	8 50 "

Tuscarawas Branch leaves New Philadelphia 5 40 am; Bayard 11 50 am; arrives at Bayard 9 45am; New Philadelphia 2 50 pm.

F. R. MYERS,
General Passenger and Ticket Agent.

Dissolution of Partnership

THE PARTNERSHIP heretofore existing between John M Cooper and Henry Bier under the name and style of COOPER & Co. was dissolved by mutual consent, John M Cooper retiring from the said firm.

JOHN M COOPER,
HENRY BIER.

Pittsburgh, Pa. Aug. 12th, 1869.

THE BUSINESS

Will be continued at the old stand, corner of Pike and 13th streets, by the undersigned, who is authorised to settle the accounts of the late firm.

HENRY BIER.

Pittsburgh, Aug. 12th, 1869. 323-1m

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JOHN M COOPER,
HENRY BIER,

Pittsburgh, Aug 12th, 1869. 323-3m

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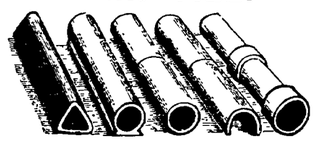
Cor. 17th and R R streets,

323 1y PITTSBURGH, PA.

This space was intended for Rickert & Demuth, of the new drug store in Opera-House block, but owing to their success in business find it unnecessary to fill it. tf

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S ROUTSON.

Wooster, Jan 1st, 1869.—1y-287

We, the Druggists of Massillon, call the attention of our customers to the letters published below of the wonderful efficacy of Dr Roback's Stomach Bitters, Dr. Roback's Scandinavian Blood Purifier, and Dr. Roback's Scandinavian Blood Pills. We have been selling these medicines long enough to know that they are all they are recommended to be, and that the certificates of cures published are true.

JOS. WATSON, EDWARD KACHLER

Pleasant Hill, Minn., April 9, 1866.

Dr. C. W. Roback,

Dear Sir:—Last fall my wife had the Liver Complaint so bad she was able to sit up but a few minutes, at a time. I had a physician doctoring her for some time, but the medicine he gave her seemed to do her but little or no good. I was advised to get her a bottle of your Bitters, and let her try them, and see if they would help her. So I thought if one bottle would be good two would be better, and I got her two bottles, and when she had taken the last bottle she could do most of her house work. I got her one more which entirely cured her, and she looks the best I have seen her for four years. We recommended them to several of our neighbors who have used them with great success.

Orvis A. Mason.

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LOCAL MATTERS.

Massillon Rail-Road Time Table.

No. 1, through mail,	6 20 a. m.	GOING WEST.	
5, way mail,	6 26 p. m.		
7, express,	12 45 p. m.		
3, express,	12 20 p. m.		
No. 6, express,	7 57 p. m.	GOING EAST.	
4, through mail,	2 50 p. m.		
8, express,	3 26 a. m.		
2, way mail,	9 38 a. m.		

BRAG is reported to be a good dog, but Holdfast has a better name. Perhaps a small amount of brag is well enough, but it has always appeared to us that our works speak more eloquently for us than our words. Actions speak louder than words, is an apothegm familiar to all, and no one will gainsay its correctness. This is the reason why we don't adopt the Mormon theory which advises every man to blow his own horn, and blow it with a vengeance. If we are to be judged *by* our blowing it will be only because *of* our blowing. Practical people look to our works much sooner than to our words. Words may signify little or nothing—works mean everything. Yet we wish the people to know that we have the largest size power press, and are ready to put it in motion on job work at short notice.

TYPOGRAPHICAL.—Our readers will have noticed in this paper ever since our connection with it, and long before that, a portion of its contents appear in nonpariel type, that is the small types about twelve lines of which it takes to make one inch. The fount has been in use here so long that the memory of man runneth not to the contrary, and as a natural consequence the letters have become bald-headed or bald-faced, and are not at all good looking. Some of it may be seen in to-day's paper, but this is about its last appearance before the public. We send it to what the printers' call hell—a place for obsolete type—then to Chicago, where it will be resurrected, brought forth with a new body, and again appear before the public, renewed, regenerated and prepared to help enlighten mankind. In place of that old type we have just received a fount of nice, new brevier type, two sizes larger than nonpariel, a portion of which makes its first appearance in to-day's paper. We think it a decided improvement, and are satisfied that our patrons will concur in this idea. This new type was purchased of Messers. Marder, Luse & Schofield, of Chicago, who are doing a large and successful busines there in the manufacture and sale of printing material. Mr. Marder, the principal of the firm, is a native of this vicinity, having been born and raised in the southern part of Summit county, and it must be a source of satisfaction to his friends and relatives to know that he is in such prosperous circumstances.

Some Things About Massillon.

Our Dry Goods Merchants are now investing in new stocks, and filling their shelves with liberal supplies of staple and more or less fancy articles, in order to meet the demands of the coming season. Customers cannot fail to have their wants fully supplied in the way of dry goods; as everything is here that is needed in that line. We can't give the particulars, but advise those desiring to purchase to give them a call.

The Hardware men are also replenishing their stocks, and filling their warehouses and rooms with the heavy and substantial materials which they always have for sale. Anything in their line, from a paper of tacks to tuns of iron in various shapes, cutlery, tools, and a thousand variety of things, are to be had of them at very short notice.

The Grocery Trade is flourishing here, and a number have become rich at the business, especially those who peddle lager and other liquors. But it is especially satisfactory to know that our men in that business who don't deal in liquid fire are also making it pay. They are selling immense quantities of the prime necessaries of life, and are thus encouraged to keep on hand as varied stocks in their line as are to be found elsewhere.

The Manufacturing Establishments of various kinds are also in active operation, and each is at work preparing for market or filling orders to meet the demands of the public upon them for their varied productions. The whizzing of saws and planes, ringing of hammers and anvils and all other evidences of industry are to be seen and heard at the numerous manufactories among us, while the furnaces are turning out scores of tuns of iron every week.

The Apparel Departments in the shape of tailor shops and clothing stores are as lively at work as any of the rest. Sewing machines are on active duty, and the tailors are soon to have a rush of business.

The Shoemakers and Shoe Stores are far from lying idle, and both are pegging away, at their best speed, for people must have boots and shoes.

In short, every kind of legitimate business among us seems to be prospering, for we can't pretend to name all the varied occupations carried on in the city in a brief notice like this. But we must forget say that the

Musical Department and Jewelry business is of such magnitude as to be worthy of special notice. Considerable capital is invested in these branches of trade, and those engaged therein seem to be doing well.

The Fine Opera House will be finished in a few weeks, and then in addition to all the active duties of life our community will have ample facilities for enjoying a good share of amusement in the way of dramatic performances, or listening to eminent lecturers on the varied topics speakers may choose to discuss.

Taking all together it would seem that our growing city, one of the pleasantest in the land, is about entering on a season of no ordinary pleasure; while the indications of general prosperity, we hope, are about to verify the fondest wishes of all good citizens.

Surrounded, as Massillon is, by a wealthy agricultural community, and blessed as are her citizens, with all the ordinary means of intelligence, while the surrounding hills and valleys are rich with mineral resources, and the avenues of trade are already open to us from the four points of the compass, with the prospect of soon realizing increased facilities in this direction, what more can we wish? Peace and quiet reign among us, and all taken together make this a community to be envied.

THE peach trade has become very quiet among us, as but few, if any, are coming in to market.

BRO. PETERSON, who has for some time been in the employ of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars, of Ohio, has lately been in this vicinity, and visiting adjoining counties, where he has been laboring very successfully in the temperance cause. He addressed a good audience at Youngstown one evening last week, and those who had the pleasure of hearing him were well pleased with his straightforward, earnest and conclusive manner of treating this important question. His views are practical, and he presents his positions in plain, comprehensive language, making the subject easily understood by all who heard him. We hope he will give Massillon a visit ere long, for we need his services.

SMITH & BOWMAN have just been investing in a large stock of stoves and other wares, which enables them to supply their customers with everything in their line of business. They also have on hand a large supply of gas pipe and all the requisite attachments for supplying our citizeus with these much needed fixtures. Then they do an extensive business in the way of manufacturing tinware, in all its varieties, so that anybody visiting them cant come amiss in finding what they want from a tin cup to the big cooking stove.

ACCIDENT.—On Saturday afternoon Charles Schenck, a bricklayer, emploped on the German (St. Paul's) Church, accidentally fell from one corner of the brick wall which is to support the spire, at the west end of the building, a distance of about fifty-two or fifty-three feet, on the solid earth. His left leg struck a short post, breaking the bones in two places below the knee, so that the ends protruded through the skin; and one of his arms was also broken, beside serious internal injuries. It is a miracle that he escaped with his life. He was immediately cared for, and Dr. Metz succeeded in placing the broken bones, and every attention given to render the wounded man comfortable. Two older brothers are also here, engaged at the same work, all of whom recently emigrated from Germany, and are industrious, steady young men.

It would seem that we are in a sickly and dying condition, or at least very shaky, as our new recording angel opens his last budget of items in the Rep and Rep with the expressive trio of words, 'Ague is prevalent.' Perhaps so, but very few seem to be aware of it.

The last number of the Alliance Monitor tells of quite a number of fights which occurred in that place a few days ago. Perhaps fighting benzine has got into some of the folks there and it has commenced coming out in this shape. We are pretty peaceable here just now, so far as we know, but there is no knowing when the war of fists may open out.

Massillon to be further Immortalized.—A recording angel has come to light among us, and he spreads his wings gorgeously in the last Rep and Rep of Canton. It looks to us as if he would use up every quill in his pinions to aid in rendering the city of Massillon immortal by putting in print our designs from the smallest to the greatest in magnitude. In the language of Plutarch we say, Let him rip. Our sedate scriptorian looks at the new light thusly:

A new hand at the Bellows.—Since our excellent friend Marcellus has left the local columns of the Rep and Rep, we have been led to wonder upon whom his mantle would fall. We are not in doubt, and are glad to say that the interest of the Massillon Items Dep't will be kept up as well as in the days of Marcellus if not more so. There is an old lawyer in this city, who onone occasion in our presence remarked that the greatest fools he ever knew were young lawyers and young editors. In this instance if the two, a young lawyer and a young editor, should be *scrouged* into one person, the Rep and Rep would have, as Bronson Alcott used to say, 'a duality.' On reading his gatherings up of "unconsidered trifles," last week, we were reminded of a quotation said to be found in the Book of Mormons something like the following: "If a man bloweth not his own horn by whom shall it be blown." Again—

"Whatever blowing thou findest for thy horn to do blow it with all thy might."

The blowing of one's own horn has always found favor, and for the delectation of our young friend at the Opera House, who has just got his hand in, we would suggest the following from the 92d psalm—

"But my horn shalt thou exalt
Like the horn of an unicorn;
I shall be anointed with fresh oil."

We hope our new co-laborer in the great vineyard of journalism will keep his horn exalted.

WE are pleased to know that Mr. T. H. Stansbury, the marble manufacturer at Fulton, is doing a fine business. He turns out a large amount of work, executed in the best style, and is receiving orders frequently, so that he is under the necessity of adding to his force of operatives in order to meet the wants of his customers.

CLAY & OGDEN, wagon and carriage manufacturers, are making improvements about their premises, which indicates that their business is prospering. Industry and attention to business will always bring success.

IN consequence of the magnificent liberality with which our city and its doings are made to illuminate and give vital interest to distant papers, the legitimate inference would be that our community is blessed with hosts of scribes; and as to whether there are any Pharasees among us the advice we might suggest would be, let foreigners come and see. We look soon to see Massillon illustrated in some of the New York pictorials, but let us be careful to keep out of the Police Gazette.

ONE of the evidences of prosperity here is the fact that we have few constables sales, and still fewer sheriff's sales. Anybody who choses to work and labor decently can get along. Once in a while we see destitute beggars, but they are interlopers—don't belong here, and while they may not be turned away with inhumanity their vocation is not encouraged, and they soon leave these quarters to try their fortune some other place.

A. KELLEY, of the firm of Kelley Bros., left for the east on Monday for the purpose of purchasing a new stock of goods.

Ricks' have the nicest blankets ever offer in this market

SHOE TIPS.—The American Shoe Tip Co. have introduced this season, a new white metal tip, which by wear has the appearance of silver, and is decidedly ornamental. A metal tip adapted to first-class shoes has long been needed. This new tip meets this demand, and must come into as general use on the finer grades of children's shoes as the copper tips have on the common grades.—*Boston Journal.*

OFF FOR MORE GOODS.—W. B. Humberger, of the firm of A. J. Humberger & Son, is now east selecting from the New York and Philadelphia markets, a large lot of dry goods for the fall and winter trade.

Sumner & Co., of Pittsburg, dealers in Wheeler & Wilson's sewing machines, are now represented at the Opera building by one of their agents, who proposes to repair that manufacture of machines free of cost.

We observe that Mr. Hewes, the street commissioner, is making his mark on portions of Main and Erie streets, by placing on them a layer of gravel, which will have a favorable effect in keeping them dry during the coming winter.

Mr. S. Oberlin has just gone east to purchase a stock of fall and winter goods.

The weather here has been autumnal the present week. It seemed as if

"The melancholy days had come,
The saddest of the year."

In the east they have had terrible rains and destructive floods. Philadelphia and Washington and other cities have suffered from unprecedented inundations, waters flowing along the streets like rivers.

Last Friday at the Indiana state fair, Indianapolis, a boiler exploded, the fragments killing some twenty-five persons, and injuring about one hundred more, many of whom will not survive.

FINISHED—The work of repairing the roof of St. John's Church. It is now substantially completed, it is supposed beyond the contingency of being a source of trouble hereafter, for which all our citizens rejoice, as the building is one of the finest in the city, and would be an ornament to any place, while it is a living evidence of the enterprise and public spirit of the congregation.

THE FINE LARGE BELL to be put up in the English Catholic church, has arrived, and will be put in place in a few days. It is said to be the largest in this city. The usual rites we understand, which are peculiar to that church, have been performed over the bell.

ODD FELLOWSHIP.—It surprises one to be told that there are two hundred and sixty thousand members of this order in the United States, and that they have an accumulated fund of nine millions of dollars. This shows the strength of that bond of sympathy which holds a vast multitude of human hearts fast together. The aim of Odd Fellowship is the high and holy one of doing good by dispensing kindness, sympathy and practical charity; the very essence of beneficence in itself, and well deserving the devotion of men who look upon life with other eyes than merely to behold their own interest and grasp after their individual and selfish good. This flourishing order teaches the lesson that men are gaining the most while engaged in doing the most for one another.

Ricks' are just receiving a large stock of new goods consisting of all the novelties of the season, don't fail to call in and see the latest styles.

Paisely, long, square, and striped shawls, in the new styles, at Ricks'.

Ordinance No. 163.

An Ordinance fixing the Boundaries of the several Wards of the City of Massillon.

SEC. 1. Be it ordained by the city of Massillon, that so much of said city as is included within the following boundaries, namely: Beginning in the center of Main street, at the point of intersection of said Main street with Erie street, and running thence south in the center of Erie street and the Bethlehem road, to the southern line of the city; thence eastwardly on said southern line until it shall intersect the extreme point of intersection of the eastern line of said city with said southern line; thence northwardly with the variations of said eastern line, and running on said eastern line until it shall reach the southeast corner of ward number four; thence west along the south line of ward number four to the corner of Cedar and Main sts., it the center of Main st.; thence westwardly in the center of Main st. to the place of beginning, shall be known as ward number one.

SEC. 2. That so much of said city as lies within the following boundaries, namely:—, Commencing in Main street, in the center thereof, at the intersection of Main and Erie streets, and running thence south in the center of Erie street and the Bethlehem road to the southern line of the city; thence west on the said southern line to the extreme southwestern intersection of the southern and western lines of said city; thence north on said western line to the center of the road running from Massillon to Millersburgh; thence eastwardly with the boundaries of said Millersburgh road, until it shall intersect the center of Main street; thence eastwardly with the variations of said Main street to the place of beginning, shall be known as ward number two.

SEC. 3. That so much of said city as is included within the following boundaries: namely. Beginning in the center of Main Street at the corner of Cedar Street and Main street and running thence northerly along the center of Cedar street until it shall reach the center of Akron street, thence northerly along the center of Akron street to the northern line of the city thence westerly on said northern line until it shall reach the northwest corner of said city thence southerly on the western line of said city until it shall intersect the northwestern corner of ward number two in the center of the road from Massillon to Millersburgh thence easterly on the north line of ward number two in the center of said ward from Massillon to Millersburgh to the center of Main street thence east along the center of said Main street to the place of beginning, shall be known as Ward Number Three.

SEC 4. That so much of said city as is included within the following limits, namely: Beginning at the intersection of Cedar and Main streets and in the center of Main street and running thence east in the center of Main street to the eastern line of said city thence in a northerly direction to the northeastern corner of said city thence westerly on the northern line of said city to the northeastern corner of ward number three thence southerly on the eastern line of ward number three to the beginning, shall be known as Ward Number Four.

SEC 5. That this ordinance shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

G. L. RUSSELF, Pres. pro tem.

Attest: D. W. HUNTSMAN, City Clerk.

Passed Oct 5, 1859.

A Statement of the Receits and Expenditures of Stark county, Ohio, for the year ending Sept. 1, 1869.

COUNTY FUNDS—RECEITS.

Balance, Sept 1, 1868	$ 4,619 12
Collected on duplicate, 1868	30,535 05
Clock	2 00
Assessors fees overdrawn	12 50
Taxes refunded	1,848 79
Ditch expenses, collected on dup	252 87
Fines	587 41
Ditch expense	89 33
Jury fees	167 40
Forfeited Bonds	93 70
Total receits	$38,208 26

DISBURSEMENTS.

Road	$ 72339
Commissioners' fees: R R Porter	$867 00
R Lee	363 00
L Schæfer	500 00
Auditor	09,84 00
Postage	106 78
Probate Judje	418 95
Infirmary Director	203 00
Election	584 80
Witnesses	575 47
Jury	4,174 80
Ditch	427 25
Printing and advertising	1,397 30
Livery	66 00
Taxes refunded	1,867 03
Freight and express	20 99
Coroner's inquests	119 16
Fuel	269 29
Road damages	800 00
Book binding	340 25
Stationery	696 71
Attorney's fees—Peaso	100 00
Watchman	624 00
Settling school fund	62 80
Payment on infirmary farm	1,212 96
Appropriation to Agricultural Society	200 60
Office rents	15 00
Clocks for treasurer and Probate Judje	36 06
Assessors	3,399 00
Accepting bridges	5 00
Telegram	1 10
Corner stone—inscription on	32 00
Revenue stamps	40 00
Constable in court	759 09
School examiners	209 00
Jail expense	119 23
Justice costs	828 10
Gas	383 00
Clerk of court	156 80
Publishing Com's statement	220 00
Janiter to school examiners	21 00
Insane	140 25
Prosecuting Attorney	1,021 76
Pauper (to reform farm)	64 70
Office	127 53
Publishing delinquent list	179 40
Sheriff	405 00
Surveyor (transcribing map)	20 00
Resetting seals	23 00
Taking down clock (old C H)	3 00
Fire Alarm Telegraph	75 00
Boarding prisoners	605 45
Court room (rent)	500 00
Conveying lunatic to Asylum	583 15
Pub. receipts and expenditures	80 00
Total Disbursement	$31,487 13
Balance, September 1, 1869	6,741 13
Poor Fund—Receits—Bal Sep 1, '69	1,947 99
Collected on duplicate, 1868	6 107 01
Total receits	8,055 77
Disbursements—Orders redeemed	5,285 77
Balance, September 1, 1869	2,769 23
Bridge Fund—Receits—Bal Sep 1, '68	7,459 89
Temporarily transferred (building fund)	11,000 00
Bridges, Mahoning county line	75 00
Collected on duplicate, 1868	71,248 42
Stone sold by commissioners	12 75
Money borrowed	17,461 60
Total	107,256 95
Overpaid, Sept 1, 1869	328 97
Disbursements—Orders redeemed	96,585 92
Temporarily transfers from building	11,000 00
Total disbursements	107,585 92
School fund—receits—Bal on hand Sep 1 '68	99 00
Received from state	26,439 00
Received from show licenses	36 05
Total receits	26,574 90
Disbursements—Paid Tp treasurers, &c	26,439 00
Balance Sept 1, 1869	135 00
Tp fund—Receits—Collected on dup '68	15,612 47
Disbursements—Paid Tp treasurers	15,612 47
Corporation fund—Receits—Col on dup '68	37,767 12
Disbursements—Paid corporation treas's	37,767 12
Redemption of land—Receits—Sundry parties	58 85
Disbursements—Red land sold at tax sale	28 85
Teachers' Institute—Receits—Balance on hand Sept 1, '68	327 28
School examineas	219 00
Total receits	546 28
Disbursements—Orders redeemed	250 20
Balance Sept 1, '69	296 08
Show licenses—Receits—Rec'd during year	100 00
Disbursements—Treas per cent on $80	6 00
School fund	36 00
State	36 00
Total disbursements	80 00
Balance Sept 1, '69	20 00
Peddlers' licenses—Receits—Balance on hand Sept 1, '68	4 67
Received during year	22 23
Total received	27 00
Disbursements—Treas per cent	2 29
Amount to state	20 71
Total disbursements	23 00
Balance Sep 1, '69	1 00
Section 16 money—Receits—Sales of sec 16	43 50
Disbursement	43
Balance to state	43 07
Total disbursements	43 50
State fund—Collected on duplicate	71,230 72
Total receits	71,230 72
Disbursements—Amount paid to state	71,230 72
Road taxes—Receits—Coll on dup '68	17,863 73
Disbursements—Paid Tp treasurers	17,863 73
Building fund—Receits—Bal Sep 1, '68	1,555 61
Collected on Duplicate '68	24,428 04
Borrowed	10,300 00
Temporarily transfered (returned)	11,000 00
Payment on jail lot	1,342 66
Bonds issued	49,230 00
Infirmary barn	300 00
Total receits	95,156 31
Disbursements—Bond redeemed	500 00
Architect	2,498 46
Courthouse	43,355 07
Bridge (temporarily transferred)	11,000 00
Interest on bonds and notes	588 52
Engraving C H bonds	60 00
Re setting corner stone	15 00
County safe	1,276 60
Payment on C H lot (Harter)	2,126 00
Sundries (repairs, &c)	817 25
Borrowed (notes)	10,000 00
Infirmary barn	2,488 91
Wikadal note and interest	8,885 43
Total disbursements	83,155 34
Balance, Sept 1, '69	11,640 97
Forfeited Road bonds—Receits—Received during year	102 00
Disbursements—Treasurer's per cent	8 21
Balance to county fund	93 79
Total disbursements	102 00
Incidental school receits—Coll on dup '68	16,274 85
Disbursements—Paid Tp treasurers	16,274 85
Sewnship building (school) receits—Collected on duplicate '68	13 846 57
Disbursements—Paid tp treasurers	13,846 57
Tuition receits—Collected on duplicate	11,946 77
Disbursements—Paid tp treasurers	11,946 77
Union school and special receits—collected on duplicate '68	36,447 47
Disbursements—Paid tp treasurers, &c	36,299 97
County (Ditch expense)	147 50
Total disbursements	36,447 47
Jury fees—Receits—Received during year	186 00
Disbursements—Treasurer's per cent	18 60
Balance to county fund	167 40
Total disbursements	186 00
Auction licenses—Receits—Rec'd during yr	35 73
Disbursements—Treasurer's per cent	70
Balance to state	35 03
Total disbursements	35 73
Fines and costs—Receits—Rec'd during yr	652 68
Disbursements—Treasurer's per cent	65 27
Balance to county	587 41
Total disbursements	652 68
Section 16 school receits—Rec'd from state	4,545 38
Total received	4,545 38
Disburements—Paid Tp tressurers, &c	4,545 38
Ditch expenses—Receits—Rec'd during yr	99 25
Disbursements—Treasurer's per cent.	9 92
Balance to county fund	89 33
Total disbursements	99 25
Road damages—Receits—Rec'd during year	150 00
Disbursements—Paid sundry parties	150 00

AGGREGATE NET COLLECTIONS ON DUPLICATE OF 1868.

County	$39,535 05
Poor,	6,107 01
Bridge,	71,348 42
Township,	15,612 47
Corporation,	37,767 12
State,	71,230 72
Road,	17,862 73
Building,	24,428 04
Incidental (school)	16,274 85
Township building (school)	13,946 57
Tuition (school)	11,946 77
Union school and special	36,497 38
Total (net)	453,308 22

STATEMENT.

Grand total origical duplicate		567,171 47
Subsequent additions		2,074 59
Grand total of Duplicate		371,246 06
DEDUCT.		
Treas Fees on Collection	$3,411 14	
Advertising	148 42	
Taxes refunded	1,848 79	
Total Deduction		5,408 35
		365 837 71
Delinquent Taxes (deduct)		12,529 49
Net Collection		353,308 33

RECAPITULATION

Of balances remaining in the Treasury of Stark County, Ohio; Sept. 1, 1869.

BALANCES.

County Fund	$ 6,741 13
Poor fund	2,769 53
School fund	135 00
Teachers institute	296 98
Show licenses.	20 00
Building fund	11,646 97
Peddlers licenses	4 00
	21,606 41
OVER-PAID.	
Bridge fund	328 97
Net Balance	21,277 44

Auditors' Office, Stark County.
Canton, O., Sept. 1st. 1869.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a correct exhibit of the receipts and expenditures of the Treasury of Stark county, Ohio, for the year ending Sept 1st. 1869.

H. C. ELLISON, Auditor.

The greatest bargain in Astrakan beaver for cloaks ever offered, go and see at Ricks'.

Massillon Market.

Corrected weekly by D. R. Atwater & Co., Produce and Commission Merchants.

FLOUR ₩ bbl	$6 50@$7 00
WHEAT ₩ bu	120@ 1 25
RYE ₩ bu	0@ 1 00
CORN ₩ bu	80@ 00
OATS ₩ bu	40@ 00
CLOVERSEED ₩ bu	6 05@0 00
TIMOTHY SEED	3 50@4 00
FLAXSEED ₩ bu	2 00
BARLEY ₩ bu	1 05
POTATOES ₩ bu new	35
BUTTER ₩ lb	22
EGGS ₩ doz	15@ 00
SALT ₩ bbl	2 50
DRIED APPLES ₩ lb	10
WHITE LIME ₩ bbl	1 60
WATER LIME ₩ bbl	2 25
BACON (clear sides) ₩ lb	14@ 00
SHOULDERS ₩ lb	13@ 00
HAMS ₩ lb	18@ 00
HAY ₩ tun	14 00
WOOD ₩ cord	4 50@5 00
WOOL ₩ lb	none
COAL ₩ tun	3 50@4 00
CHEESE per lb	22@00

Cleveland Market.

Flour	$8 75 a 9 00
Wheat	1 25 a 1 30
Corn	0 98 a 0 00
Oats	47 a 48
Rye	90 a 00

Ordinance, No. 155.

An Ordinance fixing the places of holding Elections in the City of Massillon.

SEC. 1. Be it Ordained by the city of Massillon, that the elections in said city for the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and until otherwise ordered, shall be held at the following places:

Ward Number One, at the Engine House corner of Charles st. and Mill st. square.

Ward Number Two, at the office of Leonard Bamerlin, on Erie st.

Ward Number Three, at the office of Wm. Brown, corner of Erie and Plum streets.

Ward Number Four, at the residence of Peter Beechel, on North street.

SEC. 2. That this Ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage and publication. G. L. RUSSELL, Pres. pro tem.

Attest: D. W. HUNTSMAN, City Clerk.

Passed Oct. 4, 1869.

Special Notices.

C. F. GALTON'S DYSPEPSIA REMEDY.

In offering this remedy to the public, we feel confident that every statement we make in regard to its curative properties will be fully verified by all who avail themselves of it. The prescription has been used in this city nearly ten years, and has never failed to effect a permanent cure whenever used in accordance with the directions, and the patient has had sufficient strength of mind to abstain from rich and indigestible food for a short time. In case of *Heartburn, Waterbrash, Constipation, and Nervous Headache*, arising from imperfect digestion, and all ailments which are produced from an abuse of that important organ, the stomach, it will afford permanent relief.

As an evidence that our statements can be fully relied upon, we refer the reader to the certificates below:

"For a number of years I was greatly afflicted with Dyspepsia, and although my stomach craved food, it would immediately reject it, should I eat anything, no matter how small the quantity. I was frequently compelled to leave the table without being able to take any nourishment. In a short time I became very much reduced in flesh, and was so weak that I was unable and unfit to attend to my business. My mind was in no better condition than my body, as I was continually oppressed with lassitude and depression of spirits. I tried all the patent medicines and prescriptions that I heard of, and some of these afforded me temporary relief, but in a short time I relapsed into my former condition.

"While suffering in this manner I heard of C. F. Galton's Dyspepsia Remedy, and concluded to try it. I had taken it but a short time when I began to feel relief, and continuing to take it, I soon could partake of my meals without any disagreeable feeling either while at the table or afterwards, and gained flesh rapidly. It is now nearly ten years since, and I have continued free from anything like a return of the Dyspepsia—I can therefore recommend it to any one suffering in like manner.

"Respectfully yours, ANDREW J. NICHOLSON.
"PITTSBURGH, March 20, 1869."

"This is to certify, that during the early part of the summer of 1868 my wife was much troubled with Dyspepsia. She had a severe pain in her side, her appetite was variable, and she became quite sallow. After having used two bottles of C. F. Galton's Dyspepsia Remedy, her appetite became good, she was relieved from the severe pain in her side, and her complexion became good again, all of which I attribute to the use of C. F. Galton's Dyspepsia Remedy, and I have recommended it to all my friends and acquaintances. All that I can do to make its wonderful properties known, you can rest assured will be done. JAMES A. SMITH.
"PITTSBURGH, PA."

If you are suffering do not hesitate to buy a bottle of *C. F. Galton's Dyspepsia Remedy*, and avail yourself of its curative properties.

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SUCCESSORS TO
B. A. FAHNESTOCK'S SON & CO.,
Pittsburgh, Pa.
SOLE PROPRIETORS.

Let us Protect Ourselves.

The physical structure of the strongest human being is vulnerable everywhere. Our bodies are endowed by nature with a certain negative power, which protects them, to some extent, from unwholesome influences; but this protection is imperfect, and cannot be safely relied on in unhealthy regions, or under circumstances or more than ordinary danger. Therefore, it is wisdom; it is prudence; it is common sense to provide against such contingencies, by taking an antidote in advance: in other words, by fortifying the system with Hostetter's Stomach Bitters—the most complete protective against all the epidemics and endemic maladies that has ever been administered in any country. As a remedy for dyspepsia, there is no medicine that will compare with it. Whoever suffers the pangs of indigestion, anywhere on the face of the earth where Hostetter's Stomach Bitters can be procured, does so voluntarily; for, as surely at truth exists, this invaluable tonic and alterative would restore his disordered stomach to a healthy condition. To the nervous it is also especially recommended, and in cases of confirmed constipation it also affords speedy and permanent relief. In all cases of fever and ague the bitters is more potent than any amount of quinine, while the most dangerous cases of bilious fever yield to its wonderful properties. Those who have tried the medicine will never use another, for any of the ailments which the Hostetter Bitters profess to subdue. To those who have not made the experiment we cordially recommend an early application to the Bitters whenever they are stricken by disease of the digestive organs.

Lots for Sale on RIVERSIDE.

25 Lots for sale on Park street.
20 " " " " Green "
20 " " " " Central Ave.
40 " " " " Euclid street.

For terms and particulars call on

P. G. ALBRIGHT,

who has maps and plat containing everything necessary to satisfy purchasers. These lots are admirably situated in an elevated and healthy location, and among the great advantages with which they are favored there is an unfailing spring, also a good well of water on them. 323tf

Notice.

ALL PERSONS indebted to the firms of Kelley & Allen, Jas Kelley & Son's, or Kelley Bros., are requested to call and pay up immediately. KELLEY BROS.

Massillon, Sept., 15th, 1869.—324-4t

Proclamation.

Annual Election, October 12, 1869.

The qualified electors of the City of Massillon, are hereby notified to meet at the usual places of holding elections in said city on Thursday, the 12th day of October, A. D. 1869, and then and there, between the hours of 6 o'clock A. M. and 6 P. M., elect by ballot according to the constitution of the state of Ohio.

One person for Governor,
" " " Lieut. Governor,
" " " Treasurer of state,
" " " Attorney General,
" " " Board of Public Works,
" " " State Senator,
Two " " Representatives,
One " " Probate Judge,
" " " Prosecuting Attorney,
" " " Treasurer of Stark Co.,
" " " Sheriff,
" " " Commissioner,
" " " Infirmary Director,
" " " Coroner,
" " " Land Appraiser of city of Massillon.

One person for Justice of the Peace, for Perry township.

The qualified electors within the bounds aforesaid are also notified that the following are designated as the respective places of holding election in the city of Massillon until otherwise ordered: 1st ward, City of Massillon, Engine House, corner of Charles st. and Mill st. square. 2d ward, office of Leonard Bamerlin, on Erie st. 3d ward, office of Wm. Brown, on Erie st., corner of Plum. 4th ward, at the residence of Peter Beechel, on North st.

Given under my hand and the corporate seal of the city of Massillon, at the L.S. Mayor's office, this 28th day of September, A. D. 1866.

B. B. WARNER, Mayor.

Attest:—D. W. HUNTSMAN, City Clerk.

The Safe Deposit Comp., of Pittsburg, Pa., No. 83, 4th Avenue,

Incorporated for the safe keeping of Bonds and other Securities, &c.

Guarantee Rates:

	For a year or less Period.
Government and all other Coupon Securities, including Bank Bills	$1 00 per $1,000
Gold coin or bullion	1 25 per 1,000
Silver coin or bullion	2 00 per 1,000
Silver or gold plate, under seal, on owner's estimate of full value, and rate subject to adjustment for bulk, on a basis of	1 00 per 100

Deeds, Mortgages, valuable papers generally, when of no fixed value, $1 a year each, or according to bulk. Wills $5, which premium covers the remainder of the life of the maker.

The company is also prepared to Rent small Iron Safes (each furnished with a tin box) inside its burglar proof vault, the renter exclusively holding the key thereof, at the following rates: $15, 20 $30, $60, $75 and $100 per annum. Also, to store books of account, records, valuable title papers, &c., at reasonable rates.

No charge less than one dollar.

OFFICERS.—President, William Phillips—Vice President, Henry Lloyd; Directers, William Phillips, Henry Lloyd, William M. Lyon, Jas I. Bennett, Byron H. Painter, Joseph S. Morrison, George Black, Curtis G. Hussey: Secretary and Treasurer, S. F. Von Bonnhorst. 326—3m

Errors of Youth.

A GENTLEMAN who suffered for years from Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured. Sufferers wishing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing, in perfect confidence.

JOHN B. OGDEN,
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The management of this agency take great pleasure in informing the citizens of this vicinity, that hereafter they can avail themselves of the

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As we Positively

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Parties contemplating a purchase will find it materially to their interest to give us their address, and receive a call from one of the agents, who will get an idea of what is desired, and then will take particular pains to

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as to style, prices and terms of payment. This agency can show upwards of

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surpass all others now in market. Persons never having seen our instruments have no idea of the advantages we offer, and should not think of purchasikg elsewhere without first consulting us.

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After this date our particular attention is to be devoted to this rule of trade, although considered by many dealers as not very remunerative, yet, having for many years endeavored to favor the industrious working classes with every advantage for procuring instruments and enjoying music at home, we are now determined to perfect this branch of trade, so that the man of moderate means may give his children the advantages of a Musical Education!

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When they see the metalic sediment at the bottom of the bottles, they know that the disgusting stuff is literally thickened with poison. They ask, therefore, for a

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Cristadoro's Hair Preservative, as a dressing, acts like a charm on the hair after dyeing. Try it.

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Food makes blood: blood makes the body. If the blood be pure, the body is healthy. So if we are not in health, we know some impurities are lurking about which must be removed, and the sooner the better.

Brandreth's Pills remove all from the system which nature needs no longer.

The wonderful cures effected by Brandreth's Pills have arrested the attention of enlightened, of enlightened physicians. Upwards of five thousand now use them in their daily practice, and two hundred have given their written testimony as to their innocense and value, as cleansers of the bowels and blood.

Their untold value is to those living in settlements where doctors can only be had at great expense. For if you are sick, you have only to take one or more doses of Brandreth's Pills to get cured. Full directions are with each box. Sold by all druggists.

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Dr Tobias' Celebrated Venetian Liniment; whose wonderful cures, sure and instantaneous action, in cases of chronic rheumatism headache, toothache, croup, cuts, burns, colic, cramps, dysentery, &c., have astonished the civilized world, is no new catch-penny; but an article that has stood the test of twenty-two years. The enormous sale and rapidly increasing demand is at once the surest evidence of its usefulness and popularity. No family should be without a bottle in the house. Hundreds of dollars and many hours of suffering may be saved by its timely use.

Colic, cramp, and dysentery yield at once to its pain curative proprieties. It is perfectly innocent, and can be given to the oldest person or youngest child. No matter if you have no confidence in patent medicines—try this, and you will be sure to buy again, and recommend to your friends. Hundreds of physicians recommend it in their practice.

Sold by druggists and grocers. Price, 50 cents and $1. Depot, 10 Park Place, New York.

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Pure Bred Hogs and Fowls,
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And other Farm Seeds, from Deitz's Experimental Farm, Chambersburg, Pa.

Diehl's and Boughton Beardless, Week's and Treadwell's White Wheats; French White and Red Chaff; Purple Straw Bearded, Red Mediterranean, and German Amber Beardless, are the best, earliest, hardiest and most productive wheats that can be recommended for general cultivation. Price $5 per bushel. Twenty heads of different varieties sent post paid for $1; Twenty other varieties of wheat, barley and oats of last year's importation. Sec Deitz's Experimental Farm Journal; send and subscribe for it: only $1.50 per year; the most useful journal printed. Address—
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No Humbug. It is warrented to cure lost or impaired taste, smell or hearing, watering or weak eyes, offensive breath, ulcerated throat or mouth pain or pressure in the head, and loss of memory when caused, as all of them frequently are by the ravages of Catarrh. It is pleasant and painless to use, contains no strong poisons or caustic drugs, but cures by its mild soothing action.

We will pay $500 Reward for a case of Catarrh that we cannot cure.

For sale by Druggists everywhere

Price only 50 cents.

If your druggist has not yet got it on sale, don't be put off with some worse than worthless strong snuff, fumigator, or poisonous caustic solution, which will drive the disease to the lungs instead of curing it but send sixty cents to us and the remedy will reach you by return mail. Four packages, post paid for $2 one dozen for $5.

Send a two cent stamp for Dr Sage's pamphlet on Catarrh.

Address the proprietor. R V PIERCE, M D
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The Racoon.

BY JOSH BILLINGS.

The Raccoon iz a resident ov the United States ov America; he emigrated tew this country soon after its discovery by Columbus, without a cent, and nothing but hiz claws tew get a living with.

He iz one ov them kind ov peple whose hide iz worth more than all the rest ov him.

He resides among the heavy timber, and cultivates the cornfields and nabring garden sass for sustenance, and understands hiz bizzness.

Hiz family consists ov a wife and three children, who liv with him on the inside ov a tree.

He can alwus be found at home during the day, reddy tew receive calls, but hiz nights are devoted to looking after his own affairs.

He dresses in soft fur, and hiz tail, which is round, haz rings on it.

These are ov the same material that the tail iz, and are worn on all occasions.

During the winter he ties himself up into a hard not and lays down by hiz fireside.

When spring opens, he opens, and goes out tew see how the chickens hav wintered.

Hiz life iz as free from labor az a new penny, and if it wasn't for the dogs and the rest of mankind, the raccoon would find that everybody else haz lost—a heaven upon earth.

But the dogs tree him and the men skin him and what there iz left ov him ain't worth a cuss.

He is not a natural vagabond like the hedge hog and the alligator, but loves to be civilized and liv among folks, but he haz one vice that the smartest missionary on earth kan't redeem, and that iz the art ov stealing.

He iz seckond only tew the crow in petit larceny, and will steal what he kant eat nor hide.

He will tip over a barrel ov apple sass just for the fun ov hauling the sass with hiz feet, and will pull out the plug oy the mollassis, not because he luvs sugar eny better than he duz young duck, but just tew see if the mollassis haz got a good daub to it.

I hev studdied animal deviltry for 18 years, bekaus the more deviltry in an animal, the more human he iz.

I can't find by searching the passenger list, that Noah had a coon on board, but I am willin tew bet 10 lbs ov mutton saussage that mister coon and his wife commuted by stealing a ride.

I never knew a raccoon tew want ennything long that he could steal quick.

Ennybody, who haz ever looked a coon right square in the face, will bet yu a 10 dollar bill that he hiz a dead beat, or under five hundred dollar bonds, not tew go into bizzness for the next ninety days.

I hev bed tame coons by the dozen, and they are az easy tew tame az a child, if yu take them young enuff, but I kant advise ennybody to cultivate coons, they want az much looking after az a blind mule on a tow path, and thare aint enny more profit in them than thar iz in a stock dividend on the Erie railaoad.

I never wuz out ov a pet animal since I ken remember, till now, but I hev gone out ov the trade forever; lately I discovered that it wuz a good deal like making a whissell out ov a kats tals, ruinin a comfortable tale and reaping a kursid mean whissel.

Raccoons liv tew be 65 years old, if they miss the sosiety ov men and dogs enuff, but thare aint but a few ov them die ov old age; the northwestern fur company are the great undertakers ov the coon family.

NEWSPAPER DECISIONS.—Any person who takes a paper regularly from the postoffice—whether directed to his name or another, or whether he has subscribed or not—is responsible for the pay. If a person orders his paper discontinued, he must pay all arrearages, or the publisher may continue to send it until payment is made, and collect the whole amount, whether it is taken from the office or not. The courts have decided that refusing to take newspapers and periodicals from the postoffice, or removing and leaving them uncalled for, is prima facia evidence of intentional fraud.

We had related to us the other day an anecdote of an old lady who formerly entertained travelers in a neighboring county. Before her guests commenced a meal, it was her custom to ask a blessing. She always delivered herself in this wise: 'Oh Lord! make us truly thankful for the food that is now before us. Nancy, hand round the corn bread first, and then the biscuits afterwards, Amen.

Dr. Sage's Catarrh remedy produces perfect cures of the worst cases of catarrh. Cold in the head, corzia and catarrhal headache, as hundreds of testimonials from well known citizens and eminent physicians who have used it in their practice, abundantly testify. It is mild, pleasant and unirritating. The proprietor offers $500 for a case of catarrh that he cannot cure. This remedy sent to any address by mail on receipt of sixty cents. Address R. V. Pierce, M. D., proprietor, Buffalo, N. Y.

For sale by most druggists everywhere. 2t

S S Fassett, of Cleveland, will be in this city the first of October. Parties wishing their pianos tuned by him will leave orders at Fassett's agency, opera house. 324-4w

Acknowledged Superiority of Roback's Bitters.—These Far famed bitters are by all admitted to be, in their purity as a stimulant, their efficiency as medicine and strengthening properties as a tonic, superior to any other known compound. The government acknowledges this in issuing them to the army, and fathers acknowledge this in using them in their families.

Robacks Bitters are known throughout the civilized world, and as they are growing in public estimation continually, they will soon be the one great universal remedy, supplanting all similar preparations everywhere 4t

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Good Time-Keepers, French & American manufacture—warranted;
And a large stock of American and Patent Lever Watches, especially of the Elgin and Waltham manufacture, with a fine assortment of Lady's Gold Watches.

Best selected and finest assortment of
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Fine Gold Sets, Breast Pins, Finger Rings, Ear Rings, Sleeve Buttons,& Also, a good stock of Silver Rings.
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Which are fast superseding all others for excellence and durability—WARRANTED to WRITE WELL. Ladies' Pens put in neat cases, or without cases, and all sizes for Gentlemen, in cases or holders of different patterns.
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Massillon, June 22—312 1y

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A Good Top Buggy,
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Bus Lines from all Trains to any part of the City.
Good Stock and Carriages always in readi-ness.

Massillon, O. Aug. 11, 1869.
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Though this company has demonstrated time and again the value of life insurance by distributing among the widows and orphans of
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$500,000.
Yet its losses in proportion to the number insured and amount of insurance, has been remarkably few and light, according to a compilation from the last published report of the Massachusetts Insurance Commissioner, showing the ratio of claims by death to policies issued during the last twelve months in the leading life insurance companies, thus:

Name of Company.	Ratio				Persons Insured.
Massachusetts Mutual	21	one	death	in every	476
New England Mutual	20	do	do	do	500
Ætna	32	do	do	do	313
Connecticut Mutual	30	do	do	do	333
Equitable	30	do	do	do	333
Germania	41	do	do	do	244
Globe Mutual	28	do	do	do	357
Knickerbocker	42	do	do	do	238
Mutual Life	14	do	do	do	714
Mutual Benefit	32	do	do	do	313
New York Life	52	do	do	do	192
North American	29	do	do	do	345
Security	09	do	do	do	1111
American Popular	06	do	do	do	1667
Total ratio	29	do	do	do	345

The old companies are ever harping upon the ratio of their expenses and in proportion to business done; whereas, to every person seeking insurance the fact that the profit and loss account is very important, taken together

The cost of insurance depends upon the vitality of the company in which you insure.

And the best proof of inherent vitality is the low rate of claims in the past. Those wishing to procure valuable life insurance can do so by calling on JAMES H HUNT, Esq., at Exchange Bank.
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Aug. 11th, 1869. 320-3m

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Three Ply Felt Roofing,
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There is, 1st, a foundation of Tarred Felt; 2d, a layer of water-proof Composition; 3d, another layer of Felt.
Send for circulars and samples.

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This paint is composed of gums, oils, and resinous substances, combined with distilled tar and the best known dryers. It contains no mineral or pigment, and is prepared, ready for use, about the consistency of ordinary mixed paints. It costs much less, retains its elasticity longer, and is more durable. County rights for sale.
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German Reformed—Rev. H. KORTHEUER, pastor Service at 10 o'clock, morning.
Evangelical Lutheran, St. Paul's Church—Rev. P I. BUEHL, pastor. 10 a. m., 2½ o'clock p. m.
St. Joseph's, Catholic—Rev Father VERLETT—morning service 10, and 3 p.m.—every Sunday.—a. m., none p. m.
St. Mary's, German Catholic—Rev Father LEIS-Services at 10 a. m.

BENEVOLENT ASSOCIATIONS.
H O M Division S T meet in their hall, Main st every Tuesday evening.
I O G Templars meet at their Hall over the Union National Bank, Erie street, Thursday evenings.
I O O Fellows meet in their hall corner Main and Erie streets, Monday evenings.
Post 45 G A R meet in McLain's Hall every Wednesday evening.
F & A Masons meet at their hall, Mill street, every Wednesday evening.

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New York Store,
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Hosery,
Parasols,
Sun Umbrellas,
Balmoral Skirts,
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Hoop Skirts,
White Goods,
Counterpanes in every style,
Tucked Muslin,
Silk and Linen Handkerchiefs,
Plain and varied Jaconet, Nainsooks, plain and striped, Swiss Mulls, Victoria Lawns, Tarlton, all colors,
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Linen Shirt Fronts,
Napkins.
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A full yd wide, from 12½ to 20 cts per yard.
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From 10 to 18 cts., full yard wide,
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Jeans, Ladies Cloth,
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We feel satisfied that we can please all who may favor us with a call at the cheap Cash Store.
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With W. H. DAUGHADAY. 305-tf

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January 1, 1868-292 tf

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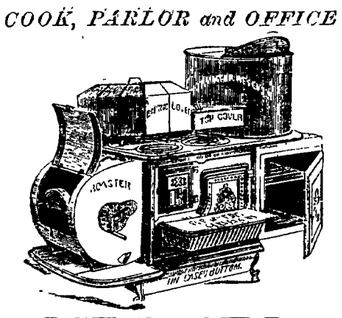
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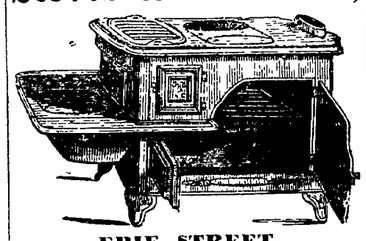


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